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| TRANSMITTAL LETTER | | | Case No. 9281/3900 |
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| Title of Invention THIN-FILM MAGNETIC HEAD APPROPRIATELY SUPPRESSING SIDE FRINGING AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE SAME | | | |

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an Supplemental Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116; and

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ Petition for a one (1) month extension of time.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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| First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim | | | | |

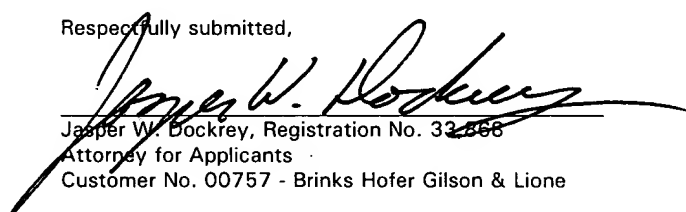
| Small Entity | |
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| Rate | Add'l Fee |
| x \$9 = | |
| x 44 = | |
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| Other Than Small Entity | |
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| Rate | Add'l Fee |
| x \$18 = | |
| x \$88 | |
| + \$300 = | |
| Total add'l fee | \$ |

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$_____.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the petition fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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